

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
Alexandria Division**

GILBERT P. HYATT,

Plaintiff

v.

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK  
OFFICE and ANDREI IANCU, Under Secretary  
of Commerce for Intellectual Property, and  
Director of the United States Patent and  
Trademark Office,

Defendants

Case No. 1:18cv546 (TSE/MSN)

**JOINT STATEMENT REGARDING REDACTIONS  
IN COURT'S MEMORANDUM OPINION**

Pursuant to this Court's order of August 19, 2020 (Doc. No. 174), the parties respectfully provide this joint statement regarding the information that this Court has redacted from the publicly-available version of its recent Memorandum Opinion (Dkt. No. 170).

**STATEMENT**

The parties have conferred and agree that the information that this Court has redacted from the publicly-available version of its recent Memorandum Opinion should remain under seal. More specifically, the redacted information is subject to this Court's previous sealing orders in the above-captioned action, and the rationale on which those sealing orders are premised has not changed due to the passage of time. In addition, the parties agree that this Court need not redact any additional information from the publicly-available version of its recent Memorandum Opinion for the reasons stated in this Court's order.

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Respectfully submitted,

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